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THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Caucasian and
the Opinion of others which we
Can Endorse on the Various
Topics of the Day.

The time has gone by when
young men will be taught in any
part of the country that it low-
ers a man to work with his
hands.—Wm. Messenger.

The New York Star and the
Progressive Farmer are now
publishing a story, each claim-
ing to have been specially writ-
ten for its columns. Wonder
how many more papers are pub-
lishing the same story specially
written for them?

We have given up in despair
any hope that Radical newspa-
pers would tell the people the
truth about the election law.
If they persist in their misrep-
resentation the consolation is left
us that the people, always wis-
er and honest than the politi-
cians, will rebuke this last at-
tempt to deceive them.—State
Chronicle.

Is there no Southern Foraker?
Has any one heard any outcry
because the battle flag of a Penn-
sylvania regiment has been re-
turned to it by its Southern cap-
tured?—Detroit Free Press.

No! So far as our experience
extends we haven't got any use
for a-ker here in the South.—
Exchange.

The South is now the most at-
tractive field for investment and
development in the United
States, and one scarcely hears of
the great Northwestern boom
now-a-days. But there are many
portions of the South about
which there are no inquiries,
and that are unknown. These
must advertise and boom as the
points of present attraction have
done.—Ex.

The delegates who composed
the State Truckers' and Fruit
Growers' Association, which
convened in Clinton last Thurs-
day, were men of ability and
large personal experience. The
work done was highly instructive,
and the meeting in every
way a success for a beginning.
We expect very beneficial re-
sults to be reaped from this
timely organization.

Citizen Grover Cleveland who
has been spending a few weeks
in Florida returned through
North Carolina en route for New
York. Everywhere he was hailed
with a hearty welcome. The
Messenger says:

Mr. Cleveland and party express
themselves as delighted with their
trip, and particularly refer in com-
plimentary terms of the Atlantic
Coast and their splendid treatment
at the hands of its accommodating
and incomparable officials.

News comes that the negroes
who have gone by the whole-
sale to the Southwest are great-
ly dissatisfied. Those for whom
they went to work are disap-
pointed in them and are treat-
ing them harshly, and they are
looking longingly but hopelessly
back toward the dear old state
of "Nori Caliny." "Better suf-
fer the ills we bear than fly to
those we know not of."

The Radicals of Wayne coun-
ty have held a meeting in Golds-
boro to denounce the election
law passed by the last Legisla-
ture. The Headlight, in speak-
ing of it, says:

Speeches were made by Ex-Gov-
ernor Brogden and Mr. W. S. O'B.
Robinson, both making biting
and uncalled for attacks upon the
General Assembly. Brogden talked
and, and when he got through his
audience, mostly composed of
negroes, had vanished. We would
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

Hue and Cry is Raised Against
Athe Patent Process of Making
It—The Old Way Yet
The Best.

Underwood's patent process of
increasing the yield of Spirits
Turpentine by the use of coal
oil in the distillation of turpen-
tine has raised considerable stir
in naval store commission cir-
cles. The leading commission
merchants of Wilmington have
been interviewed by a Messen-
ger reporter and the almost
unanimous opinion is, that if the
process is allowed to be used
unbranded, our spirits turpen-
tine trade will be well nigh
ruined. The following opinion
as given by President, H. C. Mc-
Queen, of the Produce Exchange,
and member of the firm of Wil-
liams & Murchison, dealers and
exporters, about covers the
grounds taken by the majority
of dealers:

"The thing will throw discredit
on our turpentine trade. When a
dealer buys spirits he wants to
know what he is getting, but if this
manipulated stuff is sold on the
market as spirits, how is he to know
what he is doing unless he goes to
a great deal of trouble to have every
cask carefully inspected. The conse-
quence will be if the adulterated
article is made to be sold for the pure
article, without being branded at
what it really is, buyers of spirits
will by and by only responsible de-
alers. Producers under this state
of affairs would then find it difficult
to sell their turpentine, unless their
reputation for integrity was well known.
"It is well known that the de-
mand for spirits turpentine at its
best is limited in the world, and any
large increase in production would
necessarily lower prices. It follows,
therefore, that the demand for crude
turpentine would also be lessened,
and the maker hurt in this way.
"I would say nearly two-thirds of
the turpentine made in this country
is exported, and this adulteration
will certainly have effect on the ex-
port demand. I think the producers
ought to be compelled by law to
brand their product under this pro-
cess."

Mr. Joseph Underwood, of
Cumberland county, is the pa-
tente. He is a native of Honey-
cutt's township, Sampson coun-
ty, and has secured several pa-
tents on other inventions before.

DR. MURPHY AND THE STATE CHRONICLE.

Our Representative Makes a
Statement.

The State Chronicle, in re-
porting the proceedings of the
House in regard to the bill re-
lative to the patent process of
making spirits of turpentine,
said:

"Mr. Murphy attacked the res-
olution, saying it was a strike at
a citizen of Cumberland county who
had invented a process by which
coal oil was used, &c., &c."

Dr. Murphy is out in a card
in the Chronicle and makes the
following statement:

I wish to say that it is very un-
just to me to state that I said anything
about coal oil, for I certainly did
not make use of the words in my
remarks. I did not know what
entered into the new process, and
had no reason for supposing that coal
oil did, and without knowledge of the
fact, I certainly never would have
made such a statement. It would
have been damaging to the patentee
for me to have so stated, and it fur-
ther places me in the ridiculous
attitude of defending a process for
distillation of turpentine, in which
I believe coal oil is used.

My impression is that Mr. McGill
made use of the coal oil statement
in his strong and earnest effort. I
am very positive that I did not—and
I decidedly object to being made
swallow McGill's thunder or coal oil
either.

W. B. MURPHY.

The Democratic party is
stronger to-day than it was at
the close of President Cleve-
land's Administration. The de-
pendency which naturally fol-
lowed the election in November
has speedily given place to a
spirit of buoyant courage and
indomitable resolve. The lines
are closing up again, and the
prospect is that the party will
enter the campaign of 1892 more
thoroughly organized and better
equipped for effective service
than any previous contest. The
educational work of 1888 will
go on until the reign of the ne-
gopolist gives place to the rule
of the people. There is every-
thing in the outlook to encour-
age the hope that the return of
the Republicans to power will
but result in their lasting defeat
four years hence. The Demo-
cratic leaders have not lost their
confidence in the strength of
their cause—the cause of the
people, the cause of equitable
taxation, the cause of honest
government.—Charleston News
and Courier.

TRUCKERS IN SESSION.

THE TRUCKERS AND FRUIT
GROWERS OF EASTERN
CAROLINA ORGAN-
IZE AT CLINTON.

Faison, New Berne, Mt. Olive, Mag-
nolia, Fayetteville, Wilmington
Warsaw and Clinton
Represented.

AN INTERESTING MEETING.

The movement for a State
Truckers' and Fruit Growers'
Association was started at Clin-
ton on January 31st, 1889, by
organizing the Clinton Associa-
tion. This Association issued a
circular to the truckers and
fruit growers in other sections,
calling upon them to organize
similar local associations, and
to designate a place for, and to
elect delegates to a general con-
vention. The result of this
movement is the State Associa-
tion, which was organized at
this place last Thursday.

CLINTON, N. C., April 4, '89.

The delegates elected from
the various Truckers' and Fruit
Growers' Association assembled
in Atkins' Hall to-day at 2
o'clock. A temporary organiza-
tion was effected by calling on
Capt. B. A. Hallett, of Mt. Olive,
to act as President, and Marion
Butler, of Clinton, to act as Sec-
retary.

The following places were
represented by the following
delegates:

Warsaw—Messrs. W. L. Hill,
J. F. Woodward, R. W. Black-
more.

Faison—Messrs. J. S. Hines,
J. S. Westbrook, H. J. Faison,
Charles Hines, A. T. Curry and
Roscoe Moore.

Mt. Olive—Messrs. B. A. Hal-
lett and J. A. Westbrook.

Fayetteville—Mr. W. W.
Huske.

Clinton—Messrs. W. L. Fal-
son, C. Patrick, W. B. Stewart,
W. S. Thomson and Marion But-
ler.

New Berne—Mr. G. L. Hard-
ison.

Magnolia—Mr. — Boney.

Wilmington—A. Weill.

The Chair appointed the fol-
lowing committees:

On Permanent Organization—
Messrs. H. J. Faison, W. L. Hill,
J. A. Westbrook, W. W. Huske
and Capt. W. L. Faison.

On Constitution and By-Laws.
—Messrs. W. B. Stewart, J. S.
Westbrook, W. S. Thomson and
A. T. Curry.

On Programme of Business
and Discussions—Messrs. C. Pat-
rick, Roscoe Moore and Chas.
Hines.

The committee on permanent
organization reported as fol-
lows:

For President—W. L. Hill.
For 1st Vice-President—J. S.
Westbrook.

For 2nd Vice-President—A.
F. Johnson.

For Secretary—Marion Butler.
For Treasurer—B. A. Hallett.

On motion of Maj. J. S. Hines
the report was adopted, where-
upon temporary chairman Hal-
lett introduced President Hill to
the Association, who, after a
few appropriate remarks, called
for the report of the committee
on Government, which was read
and adopted.

Section seven of the Constitu-
tion reads as follows:

"There shall be an executive com-
mittee of three members of the
Association, together with the Pres-
ident and first vice-President and
Secretary, who shall be members ex-
officio, three of whom shall make a
quorum and shall manage its affairs
during the vacation of the Associa-
tion. The President shall be chair-
man of the executive committee.
The order of business for each meet-
ing shall be arranged by the Exec-
utive Committee."

The Chair appointed, as the
other three members of the Ex-
ecutive Committee, Capt. W. L.
Faison, J. S. Westbrook and B.
A. Hallett.

The Committee on Program-
me reported as follows:

DISCUSSIONS.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Strawberries—Discussion open-
ed by J. S. Westbrook.

Peas.—Discussion opened by
H. J. Faison.

Beans.—Discussion opened by
Charles Hines.

Potatoes.—Discussion opened
by J. S. Hines.

NIGHT SESSION.

Freights.—Discussion opened
by A. Weill (representing the At-
lantic Coast Line.)

Shipping Packages.—Discus-
sion opened by T. B. Pierce.

Commissions.—Discussion open-
ed by W. L. Faison.

MORNING SESSION.

Grapes.—Discussion opened
by J. A. Westbrook.

Asparagus.—Discussion open-
ed by C. Patrick.

Huckleberries.—Discussion
opened by W. L. Hill.

The discussion on the various
subjects was participated in by
nearly every member of the
Association, and as most of
them spoke from a large and
personal experience, the infor-
mation given was highly enter-
taining and instructive.

Some of the points we gather
from the discussion are, that a
majority of truckers make a
great mistake in the quantity of
manure. What is usually used
on two acres should be put on
one. That the strawberry is a
very remunerative crop; a stiff
soil suits them best, though the
"Crescent" does fairly well on a
light soil. The Faison Associa-
tion has adopted 1 1/2 cents per
quart as the standard price for
picking. That Landreth's "Ex-
tra Early" is the best pea; that
the vines for forage was as val-
uable as the pea; that in sec-
tions where the cotton stalk
grows tall and strong that the
pea could be planted in the side
of the rows by the stalk to an
advantage; that the pea could
be sown with oats, the pea pick-
ed and the vines cut with the
oats for forage.

That the Wax bean rules the
highest in the market, but be-
ing liable to "spot," that the
Mohawk or Round bean was
safest. That in gathering the
bean it was very important that
none should be boxed except
"Snappers"—that is a bean that
is just the right age to snap or
break when bent. That a few
old beans in a box would dam-
age its sale.

That the Irish potato was the
only farm product on which
there was any tariff protection,
and that, unlike other crops, it
required but little manure and
was not perishable, and there-
fore would not necessarily be
sacrificed in a glutted mar-
ket. With this crop, variety
and soil are very important.

"Early Rose" and "Chili Red"
are the best, and should be
grown in a light soil. A potato
with dark earth clinging to it
is not very saleable.

That the Atlantic Coast Dis-
patch would transport truck and
fruits on almost express time.
That the slight increase of
freight rates was not due to the
Wilmington and Weldon Rail-
road, but to other parties of the
Dispatch Combination.

That the gift crate (32 or 60
quart) was the best—fruit in
them would bring best price.

That there is a mine of money
in a vineyard if properly man-
aged.

That Asparagus should be
shipped with damp moss at the
butts of bunches so that the
grass would not only not wilt
but would continue to grow en
route to market.

That it was very desirable and
very necessary in order that the
huckleberry reach market in
good condition that the berry
be handled very little before
shipping. That the pickers
should take the crates, when
possible, with them in the woods
and put the berry directly from
the bush into the baskets.

All these and hundreds of
other points which we haven't
time nor space to give were
brought up and fully explained

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LIGHT AND LOVE.

THEIR INCOMPATIBILITY.

The Inventor of the Modern Lamp
the Father of Modern Courtship.

THE FATAL ELECTRIC LIGHT!

Courtship has without doubt
been largely modified by differ-
ent systems of artificial light.
Now that the electric light
seems destined sooner or later
to supersede petroleum, gas, and
candles, it is time that the youth
of our country should seriously
consider the probable influence
of the new light upon their fu-
ture happiness.

Hitherto courtship has pro-
ceeded with every new improve-
ment in artificial light. The
cave man and his cave girl knew
nothing of the delights of court-
ship. This was not merely be-
cause the cave man was ignor-
ant of everything generally,
except the art of carving rude
pictures on the ivory handle of
his razor or his tooth-brush, but
because he had no lamps or can-
dles. At night he either went
to bed or sat by the light of his
camp-fire. If his daughter and
her young man also sat by the
fire, they were restrained by the
presence of all the rest of the
family, and the practice of steal-
ing girls was so common that
no father would permit a valu-
able girl to move out of sight
of the camp-fire. The result was
that the cave girl was never
courted, but passed suddenly
from maidenhood to wifehood
by being bought or stolen.

Some advance in courtship
was made when candles and
lamps were invented.

It thus became possible for
the young people to sit in the
library with their own light,
while the old people sat in the
parlor. But the original lamp,
like candles ancient and mod-
ern, was unmanageable. It could
not be turned down. The Greek
or Roman girl could not, of
course, extinguish the library
lamp, for that would have left
her in the dark, which would
not only have been improper,
but would have led to unpleas-
ant consequences in case of her
father suddenly entering the
room and stumbling over the
rucking-chair. It is true that
Pythagoras is said to have in-
vented a semi-transparent col-
apsible screen, which could be
placed on a Roman lamp in or-
der to partially screen the light,
and which could, in case of a
sudden alarm, be quickly re-
moved and concealed in the
folds of the young man's toga.
Doubtless some good was done
by this beneficent invention,
which was designed by the in-
ventor, so we are told, to meet
the frequent complaint among
Roman and Greek girls, that
their eyes were sensitive to ar-
tificial light. However, the Py-
thagorean screen was abolished
by the decree of Cato the cen-
sor, who pretended that it was
really injurious to the eyes, and
recommended that Roman girls
should accustom their eyes to
artificial light, by using three
or four lamps in the place of
one. This decree alone is suf-
ficient to explain why Cato has
been pronounced to be a "mean
old thing" by the unanimous
verdict of the feminine world.

During the Middle Ages the
rush-light superseded the Ro-
man lamp, probably because of
the high price of oil. Like the
lamp, the rush-light could not
be turned down; and as the ar-
mor of the young man of the
period was kept in a high state
of polish, it reflected the rays
of light so brilliantly that he
was nearly as powerful as a
modern parabolic reflector. Of
course privacy in company with
an illuminated young knight
was impossible. When the fath-
er, who was polishing his hel-
met or putting a new rivet in
his shirt, thought it was time
to look after the young people,
and so clanked solemnly into
the library, he invariably found
the brilliant knight and his
daughter seated at opposite ends
of the sofa. No medieval girl
quite dared to approach so
splendid an object closely, know-
ing as she did that her hair was
liable at any moment to catch
in the knight's shoulder-scales,
and that a mailed coat-sleeve
could not but shine in a most
conspicuous way against the
background of a feminine waist.

Thus it came to pass that the
young knight knew no other
method of courtship than that
of writing sonnets and playing
the guitar under his lady's win-
dow, and a very unsatisfactory
method it must have been.

The inventor of the modern

lamp, with a wick that can be
turned down or up with a screw,
is really entitled to the honor
of having been the father of
modern courtship. The girls of
the period must have hailed
this invention with enthusiasm,
for it not only enabled them to
turn down the light, but it fur-
nished them with the excuse
that the lamp had to be turned
down to prevent it from smok-
ing. Then, too, the screw could
be operated with great rapidity,
and an active young man could
turn up the light in an instant
at the first creek of the parental
boot.

We shall never know how
much the domestic happiness
of the last century or two is due
to the inventor of the modern
lamp. Certain it is that court-
ship, with the usual result of
marriage, has enormously in-
creased since the introduction
of a light capable of being regu-
lated at will. Love, like regu-
lation, flourishes in a dim, sub-
dued light, and a light of half-
a-candle power will permit a
timid proposal to creep forth,
which would never have dared
to manifest itself in a really
bright light.

And now comes the brilliant,
garish electric light, more pow-
erful than half a dozen oil lamps,
and wholly incapable of being
turned down. The inventor
must have been a confirmed
misanthrope, and the bitter en-
emy of marriage. Does the
young girl, who looks modestly
forward to the cosy library fur-
nished with a light that can be
turned down, and an eligible
young man, grasp the fact that
the electric light will make
that alluring dream impossible?
It is bad enough for her to know
that the electric light will pit-
tles show every defect of her
complexion and dress, but its
inexorable persistence is what
most seriously affects her inter-
ests. If this light becomes uni-
versal, courtship will be as much
a lost art as it was in the Mid-
dle Ages, and we shall have to
thank Mr. Edison for the simul-
taneous decline of marriage,
and the revival of sonnet-writ-
ing and midnight guitar-prac-
tice.—W. L. Alden in Collin's
Once A Week.

A SAMPLE PROTECTIONIST.

In commenting upon The
World's exposure of John Wan-
amaker's "sweet-shop" in Ber-
lin the San Francisco Chronicle
says: "Mr. Wanamaker would
be a donkey if he did not buy
his cloaks in the cheapest mar-
ket."

But why should Mr. Wan-
amaker deny the same privilege
to the mass of his countrymen?
Why, except for selfish reasons,
should he raise a campaign fund
of \$400,000 to aid in compelling
the people of the United States
to buy their necessities in the
dearest market? The Chronicle
says that he defends a high tar-
iff in order to enable him to
"produce here with decently
remunerated labor."

Just how decently Mr. Wan-
amaker remunerates his labor in
this country was shown in The
World of last Sunday. In one
of the Philadelphia establish-
ments which manufacture cloth-
ing for this professed Philan-
thopist "the force is entirely
European," and few of the op-
eratives receive an average of
\$4.50 a week. In another man-
ufacture a middleman who had
barely made expenses at 60 cents
a pair for trousers was notified
that no more than 40 cents would
be paid in future. Wanamaker
has the contract for supplying
the uniforms for the employees
of the Pennsylvania Railroad,
and he pays only \$2.79 for mak-
ing an entire suit. The "white
slaves" at Berlin can hardly be
less decently remunerated than
this.

And it is for this sort of "pro-
tection to American labor" that
the people of this country pay
a duty of from 54 to 67 per cent.
on their clothing!—N. Y. World.

WANAMAKER'S CAMPAIGN PRAYER.

"Oh, Lord, have mercy on us.
Give us clean politics and pure
men in office. (Aside to Mr.
Quay: How much money did
you say it would take to buy In-
diana?) Thou knowest that
when the righteous reign the
people are happy (Aside to Quay:
I send \$100,000 with which to
buy the vote of Brooklyn) Help
us to keep free from the politi-
cal corruption of the day (to
Quay: Has Dudley arranged the
"Roasters in blocks of five") Grant
that the iniquitous practices
of corrupt politicians may
come to naught (Here Quay:
Take \$100,000 more) and that
their wicked ways may be con-
founded. Amen!"—Raleigh
State Chronicle.

THE FIRE FIEND RAGES.

\$3,000,000 OF PROPERTY DE-
STROYED BY THE TOUN-
GED FLAMES.

Smithfield, N. C., Savannah, Norfolk
and Pittsburg in Ashes.

Last Saturday and Sunday
were such days in which a cry
of "Fire!" sends through every-
body a thrill of terror. The
wind was blowing a gale, at
from 20 to 30 miles an hour, all
along the Atlantic coast. Satur-
day evening at 7 o'clock a clerk
stepped to the front of a store
in Savannah to light a gas jet.
Just then came a gust of wind,
the flame touched some drap-
ery, and in an instant the build-
ing was on fire. Before an en-
gine could be summoned the
next building was on fire. In a
few minutes the maddened
flames had leaped to the next
block, and ere they were arrested
a million and a quarter dol-
lars worth of property was in
ashes.

At Norfolk, on Sunday, the
terrible gale flooded the lower
part of the city with water,
which came in contact with
some unslacked lime. In a few
minutes the licking flames were
reaching from building to build-
ing, destroying a half a million
dollars worth of property.

At Pittsburg, on the same day,
property to about the same value
was swept away.

Last comes the sad news of
the almost complete destruction
of Smithfield, the county-seat
of a sister county. The cause
of the fire we haven't learned.
The flames broke out in Morgan's
carriage factory and swept clean
the business part of the town to
the southeast, destroying fifty-
eight buildings. Hood's drug
store, Peacock Brothers, general
merchandise, D. H. Graves, gro-
cer, W. M. Sanders, grocer, and
John Gurley hotel and saloon,
are the only business houses
left. The courthouse and jail
were saved. The loss is over
\$100,000.

Clinton knows how to sym-
pathize with her unfortunate
neighbor, for just eleven years
ago last Wednesday two weeks,
she suffered the same sad fate.
Be it said to the credit of our
mayor and city fathers that
Clinton is supplied with an ef-
fective fire department, such as
might have saved Smithfield
had it been provided with the
same precaution.

THE NEWSPAPER IN SCHOOL.

At a school at Hesston, Kan.,
a copy of the Kansas City News,
so the editor of that paper in-
forms its readers, is kept con-
stantly on file for the use of the
teachers and scholars. It is
quite evident that the young
ideas of Hesston will be taught
to shoot in the right direction.
The boy who is abreast with
the news of the day has won
half the battle toward fame and
fortune. To be up with the
times may be one of them.

There is a good deal of rude
buffeting in this world, and to
be out of the swim is to re-
ceive more buffets than justly
belong to you. The successful
merchant is not the one who
understands the routine of busi-
ness only, but he who is con-
versant with the affairs of the
world and regulates his inter-
ests according to them. In the
new towns of the West houses
are built first, then a church,
then a newspaper office—home,
religion and intelligence going
hand in hand to build up a
sturdy and enterprising man-
hood. There is level headed
common sense in these Kansas
teachers who have introduced
the newspaper into the school-
room. It is a whole curriculum
of study in itself, and this Wes-
tern custom might be transplan-
ted here with advantage to future
Cabinet Ministers and, mayhap,
Presidents.—N. Y. Graphic.

"Mark Twain," whose real name is S. L. Clemens, M. A., in- spired by the success of "

THE CAUCASIAN.

Entered according to Postal Laws at Clinton, N. C., as second class mail matter.

CLINTON, N. C., APRIL 11, 1889.

THE CAUCASIAN'S RECORD.

CIRCULATION: 1,439.
One year ago it was less than 800. During the last six weeks we have mailed over 10,000 copies.

Work on the Governor's mansion has been resumed and will be kept up until the building is completed.

Van Cott is Postmaster of New York City and Erhardt is Collector of Customs at the port of New York.

The Goldsboro Argus was four years Tuesday old and celebrated the anniversary with a ten page illustrated edition. Bro. Robinson, we congratulate you upon such enterprise.

We are pleased to learn that every dealer in veneer work North and South, who has examined specimens from the Carolina Veneer Works at this place say that they are the handsomest articles of the kind they have ever seen.

There was a heavy snow storm last Saturday in Western Carolina, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and other sections further North, and hail at several places in this state. Hence the sudden fall in temperature. While there has been but little falling weather in this immediate section, the wind has been severe and very disagreeable.

President Harrison kept the Senate in session exactly as long as did Mr. Cleveland. From March 4th to April 2nd President Cleveland sent in 171 nominations, of which 156 were confirmed, 12 were not acted upon, two were withdrawn and one was rejected. In the same length of time Harrison has made 374 nominations. Of these nearly all have been confirmed. Three were withdrawn and two rejected.

Rhode Island, which went republican last election by over 3,000, (save the majority by) elected a democratic Governor last week by 4,000 plurality. The city of St. Louis, which went overwhelmingly republican last election, has just elected a Democratic Mayor, and at least a dozen more places have shown similar democratic victories in local elections. This begins to look like a Democratic Waterloo in 1892.

General Boulanger, the head of the War Department of the French Government, is now an exile from his own country, in Belgium. The government has preferred a charge of high treason against him and propose to try him for his life. Boulanger knowing the temper of a French mob fled. If the government had dropped the matter, then they would have won a victory, but it continues to persecute him and his friends and try him in his absence. This unwise course will probably cause a revulsion of feeling and recall the exiled General as the hero of the hour. It is generally believed that the government has instituted such a proceeding because jealous of his popularity. Boulanger may not be sincere, but some of his ideas of reform are good.

President Harrison in making his Cabinet, Diplomatic and Consular appointments has totally ignored the South. Just think of it, this whole mighty government to be managed without a voice or a representative from our beautiful Southland—all of them from the Northern half of the Union. This is what we call sectionalism with a vengeance. Wonder what the Southern "Rads" think of such proceedings? Wonder if they love Harrison as much now as before the election.

Maj. Hearne of the Wilmington Messenger says: The contrast between Mr. Cleveland and General Harrison, in respect of the national feeling, and confidence in all sections, is most striking, and it is well for the country to take note of it. We believe that if the last fall election was now reheld that Cleveland would not only sweep the country by a larger popular majority than he did, but would carry the electoral college by a handsome majority.

Alliance Department.

ORGANIZATION.
President—Marion Butler;
Vice-President—E. Rich;
Secretary—J. D. Ezzell;
Treasurer—S. A. Howard;
Business Agent—G. A. Clute;
Lecturer—N. H. Fennell;
Chaplain—J. O. Tew;
Sergeant-at-Arms—B. H. Jerigan;
Doorkeeper—Charlie Crumpler;
Executive Committee—J. A. Oates, Chairman; R. M. Crumpler, M. M. Killelt, W. H. Thomas, W. K. Pigford.
Committee on the Good of the Order—J. A. Oates, B. S. Peterson, C. H. Johnson.
Query Committee—W. J. Craddock, M. M. Killelt, Abram Hobbs.
Co-Organizer—Isiah Royal.

[THE CAUCASIAN was adopted as the official organ of the County Alliance by the County Alliance, January 19th.]

Farmers' Alliance in Session.
[Special Cor. Caucasian.]

The anniversary meeting of the Sampson County Farmers' Alliance convened in Atkins' Hall April 5th, 1889.

At 12 o'clock the hall was crowded with delegates and visiting brethren from forty-four Alliances.

The rap of the President's gavel called the members to order, and the Alliance proceeded to the dispatch of business.

A glance over the hall was sufficient evidence that the Alliance men of Sampson county had not been asleep for the past twelve months.

The evidence of our progress can be seen in many ways, but especially can it be seen in our new perfect organization. Herebefore a great deal of time has been consumed at our county meetings in organizing the properly accredited delegation.

But not so at our anniversary meeting. Every thing worked smoothly and harmoniously; and brother Secretaries of the sub-Alliances I desire to thank you for the manner in which you conducted the business of your sub-Alliances, thereby relieving your President and Secretary of County Alliance of such onerous labor.

From a very small beginning we have grown amazingly strong until the toasts of the Farmers' Alliance have penetrated into almost every portion of the county.

The representatives of forty-four Alliances as before stated, embracing some of the best men in the county is another characteristic element of our solidarity and firmness.

The Committee on the good of the order made a most gratifying report. We vouchsafe to say that no committee for similar duty in any brotherhood ever made a more harmonizing report. Their rebukes were mild but effective, with very encouraging words of advice.

The Executive Committee made a very satisfactory report. They, after much consideration have elected Bro. G. A. Clute, Business Agent, who is pushing the business of his office to well nigh perfection, brings to bear on the minds of all people, one of our mottoes: "That the Alliance is run strictly on business principles."

The Secretary's and Treasurer's books were found to be correct and in a good condition.

The lecturer was called and responded in a most happy style. His lecture was grand, forcible, and instructive to all. His comparison of the past and present condition of the people was truly a profitable lesson, bearing the stamp of a stranger and more united brotherhood. His lecture far beginning to be a success, and fully compensated for his absence at all previous meetings.

THE CAUCASIAN has been adopted as the organ of County Alliance, and if you would keep yourself informed as to our work and plans you should subscribe for it and learn what the brethren are doing in other Alliances.

Much business was transacted, but of a private nature, and not for publication.

J. D. EZZELL, Sec'y
Sampson Co. Farmers' Alliance.

LAUREL HILL, No. 653.
The members of our Alliance have resolved to pay 25 cents for each hawk killed upon our lands. Any one will receive the above amount by presenting the Secretary, M. M. Killelt, the right foot of such hawk killed after the publication of this notice.

We respectfully ask the co-operation of all the Alliances in this country in our efforts to save the poultry from the claws of the great destroyer.

who wilfully does so should have charges preferred against him and be dealt with. This is mentioned as a caution to prevent interferences with the order by its enemies. W. J. C.

DIRECTORY OF SUB-ALLIANCES.

Hope Well, No. 676, D. C. McPhail, Sec'y; postoffice, Beaman's Roads.
Hwy. Oak, No. 583, J. H. Parker, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
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Huff, No. 577, W. J. Craddock, Secretary; postoffice, Hobson.
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Mt. Gilead, No. 874, W. H. Hackley, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Goshen, No. 446, Thomas J. Sutton, Secretary; postoffice, Hobson.
New Hope, No. 866, W. F. Hines, Secretary; postoffice, Warsaw.
Kings, No. 679, Henry Herring, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Piney Grove, No. 617, W. L. Lane, Secretary; postoffice, Faison.
Beulah, No. 680, J. F. Moore, Secretary; postoffice, Warsaw.
Hermion, No. 747, W. B. Britt, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Red Hill, No. 925, John J. Vann, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Purdum, No. 832, D. W. Williams, Secretary; postoffice, Dismal.
Mingo, No. 554, R. M. Livingston, Secretary; postoffice, Giles' Mill.
Andrew Chapel, No. 519, B. R. Owen, Secretary; postoffice, Maitland.
Poplar Grove, No. 616, L. M. Lewis, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Hall's, No. 618, T. W. Barbrey, Secretary; postoffice, Hobson.
Boykin's, No. 615, L. C. Spell, Secretary; postoffice, Dismal.
Bland, No. 872, M. J. Moore, Secretary; postoffice, Warsaw.
Clinton, No. 579, B. S. Peterson, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
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Eureka, No. 328, J. M. White, Secretary; postoffice, Clinton.
Salmon, No. 690, S. A. Howard, Secretary; postoffice, Huntley.
Spring Hill, No. 355, J. G. Draughton, Secretary; postoffice, Mingo.
Snow Hill, No. 1,332, A. R. Herring, Secretary; postoffice, Taylor's Bridge.
Coharie, No. 654, W. S. Lawhorn, Secretary; postoffice, Warsaw.
Straw Pond, No. 580, B. S. Blackman, Secretary; postoffice, Bass.
Newton Grove, No. 357, James Rouse, Secretary; postoffice, Newton Grove.
Franklin, No. 748, J. B. Seavey, Secretary; postoffice, Harrell's Store.
Hickory Grove, No. 1,029, D. L. McLaub, Secretary; postoffice, Beaman's Roads.
Lisbon, No. 871, Cora Branson, Secretary; postoffice, Lisbon.
Evergreen, No. 1,510, A. C. Cashwell, Secretary; postoffice, Ingold.
Clear Run, No. —, W. Lee Robinson, Secretary; postoffice, Clear Run.
Woodland, No. 1,486, O. P. James, Secretary; postoffice, Way Cross.

APRIL 30TH A HOLIDAY.

The President's Proclamation.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
Washington, April 5, 1889.

A hundred years have passed since the government which our forefathers founded was formally organized. At noon on the thirtieth day of April, 1789, in the city of New York, in the presence of an assemblage of heroic men, whose patriotic devotion had led the colonies to victory and independence, George Washington took the oath of office as Chief Magistrate of the new born Republic. This important event was preceded at 9 o'clock in the morning in all the churches of the city, by a prayer for God's blessing on the Government and its first President.

The centennial of this illustrious event in our history has been declared a general holiday by act of Congress, to the end that the people of the whole country may join in commemorative exercises appropriate to the day.

In order that the joy of the occasion may be associated with deep thankfulness in the minds of the people for all our blessings in the past, and devout supplication to God for their gracious continuance in the future, representatives of the religious creeds, both Christian and Hebrew, have memorialized the Government to designate an hour for prayer and thanksgiving on that day.

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Harrison, President of the United States of America, in response to the pious and reasonable request, do recommend that on Tuesday, April 30th, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the morning, the people of the entire country repair to their respective places of divine worship to invoke the favor of God, that the blessings of liberty, prosperity and peace may abide with us as a people, and that His hand may lead us in the paths of righteousness and good deeds.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States

of America to be affixed.
Done in the city of Washington this 4th day of April in the year of our Lord 1889, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth.
BENJAMIN HARRISON.
By the President:
JAMES G. BLAINE,
Secretary of State.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

French McQueen,
OF NORTH CAROLINA.

— WITH —

B. C. FULLER,
NO. 195 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK.

PRODUCE
COMMISSION MERCHANT.

REFERENCE.—Bank of New Haven, New York National Exchange Bank, R. G. Dunn & Co.'s Westchester Agency, New York; C. D. Myers, of Wilmington; T. B. Pierce, of Warsaw.
Track along Atlantic Coast Line a mile—2mi

G. FURMAN & CO.,
PRODUCE
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

West Washington Market, New York.
SOLICIT CONSIGNMENTS OF ALL PRODUCE.
Guarantee Highest Price and Prompt Returns.

Refer by permission to A. F. Johnson and Wm. A. Johnson.

STENCILS furnished on application. April—3m

Established 25 Years.

W. M. HINES. D. H. MANSFIELD.

HINES & MANSFIELD,
GENERAL PRODUCE
Commission Merchants.

288 & 290 Washington & 187 Chambers Sts.,
NEW YORK.
North Carolina and Virginia Produce a Specialty.

Represented by L. H. HINES.
REFERENCE.—Second National Bank of Jersey City, N. J. mch28—3m.

W. J. FAISON,
— DEALER IN —
GROCERIES AND CONFECTIONERIES.

I am yet at my stand on Fayetteville Street, next door to Printing Office, where I will be pleased to see all my friends and customers. Call in and see me.
I am also prepared, at my residence, to accommodate my colored friends with Board and Lodging.
Respectfully,
W. J. FAISON.
mch1—4

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. — NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. M. A. JOHNSON

Takes pleasure in announcing the arrival of early invoices of NEW

SPRING GOODS!

And invites the attention of all buyers to the very low prices of same.

He is now preparing for his semi-annual purchasing trip to New York and is offering some

Special Bargains!

To make room for his

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK!

New Millinery Goods

Will be received next

week direct from the

largest importers in

America.

Don't buy till you examine the very latest styles, to be found only

at

W. M. A. JOHNSON'S.

[Continued from First Page.]
by men with practical experience in the business.

In conclusion we would say that the meeting was a decided success and is the beginning of a movement that will soon spread over the entire country, much to the advantage, stimulation, and profit of the great and growing industry of Truck and Fruit growing for market.

The Executive Committee was instructed to confer with Mr. Emerson of the Atlantic Coast Dispatch, relative to certain shipping arrangements that were desirable.

Resolutions, thanking Capt. W. L. Faison for the interest displayed in the meeting, to whose energy its success was largely due; thanking the President and Secretary for the successful and impartial manner in which they had managed the meeting; also thanking the citizens of Clinton for the courtesy and hospitality shown the visiting delegates while in their town, were unanimously passed.

The Association adjourned to meet on the first Wednesday in January, 1890. The place of meeting to be designated hereafter.

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of James Sutton, Sr., deceased, hereby give notice to all parties holding claims against said estate to present them, duly authenticated, within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plea in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

W. T. SUTTON, Executor.
M. C. RICHARDSON, Atty.

This 27th day of March, 1889.—4t

NOTICE.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY Commissioners of Sampson will, on the 1st Monday in May next, receive sealed propositions or bids from persons desiring to furnish the poor outside of the Poorhouse with the following articles per month: 10 pounds flour, 1 quart molasses, 1 pound sugar, 1 pound coffee, 1 pound rice, 1 plug tobacco, 9 pounds bacon, 18 pounds meal and 2 bars soap. Said articles to be first-class goods, and said Commissioners reserve the right to reject all bids. By order of the Board.
O. F. HERRING, Clerk.
April 1st 1889.—4t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Something Interesting

A T

A. F. JOHNSON'S

ONE PRICE

Cheap Cash Store!

Having finished my Annual Inventory, and clearing my stock of all remnants and goods not desirable to be carried over another Season, I have MARKED DOWN and placed on the

BARGAIN COUNTER,

A GREAT MANY CHOICE PIECES OF

Double and Single width Cashmers, Fancy and Solid Colored Worsteds, Gingham, Hamburg Edging, Nainsook Muslins, Cambrics, &c., at prices that will astonish you!

Also a few dozen Mens' Wool and Felt Hats at correspondingly Low Prices.

These Goods MUST GO in order to make room for my SPRING STOCK.

JOE LOT.—Ladies' and Misses' Hosiery, Gloves, Button and Lace Shoes, at prices that will be sure to take them off.

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Atlantic Coast Line.

WILMINGTON & WELDON R. R. and Branches.

Condensed Schedule

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED No. 23 No. 27 No. 41.
Mar. 27, '89. Daily. Daily. Daily. Sunday.

Ar Weldon, 12:40 p.m. 5:43 p.m. 6:00 a.m.
Ar Rocky Mt., 1:52 " 7:10 "

Ar Tarboro, 3:53 " 8:10 " 7:10 a.m.
Ar Weldon, 10:20 " 10:20 " 7:10 a.m.

Ar Wilson, 2:25 " 7:00 p.m. 7:45 a.m.
Ar Selma, 3:35 " 8:10 " 7:10 a.m.

Ar Fayetteville, 6:00 " 8:10 " 7:10 a.m.
Ar Goldsboro, 4:10 " 8:40 " 7:10 a.m.

Ar Magnolia, 4:25 " 8:40 " 7:10 a.m.
Ar Wilmington, 6:00 " 9:55 " 11:30 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 14, No. 78, No. 40.
Daily. Daily. Daily. Sunday.

Ar Wilmington, 11:50 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.
Ar Magnolia, 1:15 " 10:35 " 5:40 "

Ar Weldon, 1:50 " 10:50 " 6:10 a.m.
Ar Goldsboro, 2:15 " 11:50 " 6:35 "

Ar Fayetteville, 8:00 " 11:00 " 6:35 a.m.
Ar Selma, 11:00 " 11:00 " 6:35 a.m.

Ar Tarboro, 12:10 " 12:30 p.m. 7:50 a.m.
Ar Wilson, 2:57 " 12:30 p.m. 7:50 a.m.

Ar Rocky Mt., 1:17 " 8:20 " 7:50 a.m.
Ar Weldon, 4:30 " 2:40 p.m. 9:40 "

*Trains except Sunday.
Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Halifax for Scotland Neck 2:30 p.m., returning leaves Scotland Neck 8:20 a.m., daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh railroad, daily except Sunday, 5:05 p.m., Sunday 3:17 p.m., arrive Wilmington, N. C., 7:20 p.m., 4:55 p.m. Returning leaves Wilmington, daily except Sunday, 7:10 a.m., Sunday 9:50 a.m., arrive Tarboro, 9:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

Train on Midland, N. C., branch leaves Goldsboro, daily except Sunday, 8:00 a.m., arrive Smithfield, 9:20 a.m., returning leaves Smithfield, 10:35 a.m., arrive Goldsboro, 11:45 a.m.

Train on Nashville branch leaves Rocky Mt. at 3:00 p.m., arrives Nashville 3:4

DIRECTORY.

TOWN OFFICERS:
 Mayor—R. H. Hubbard.
 Treasurer—J. E. Royal.
 Chief of Police—W. J. King.
 Jailor—Capt. Jas. H. Robinson.
 Commissioners—B. H. Hubbard,
 J. E. Royal, W. B. Stewart, J. B.
 Bodenhammer, W. H. Stetson.
COUNTY OFFICERS:
 Sheriff—J. M. Spill.
 Clerk of Superior Court—J.
 S. Beall.
 Treasurer—J. R. Beaman.
 Register of Deeds—O. F. Her-
 ring.
 County Surveyor—Arthur Lee.
 Coroner—T. A. T. Cooper.
BOARD OF EDUCATION—W. W.
 N. Patterson, A. R. Herring and
 W. B. Stewart.
COMMISSIONERS—Captain C. Par-
 trick, J. C. Hobbs, J. M. Marshall.
SUPERINTENDENT OF HEALTH
FOR COUNTY—Dr. J. A. Stevens.
STANDARD KEEPER—W. K. Bea-
 man.
SUPERINTENDENT OF COUNTY
PAID—James Shipp.
SUPV. PUB. INSTRUCTION—Isham
 Royal.
C. P. ADMINISTRATOR—Nora.
POST OFFICE.
 (C. P. Johnson, Postmaster.)
 Mail going by rail leaves postoffice
 daily at 7:45 A. M., and 3:55 P. M.,
 respectively. Mail going via Hol-
 ton, Newton Grove, Dunn, Bennett,
 K Road, etc., leaves 6:00 A. M.,
 on Mondays and Thursdays. Mail go-
 ing to Fayetteville, via Huntley,
 Blocker's, etc., leaves at 6:00 A. M.,
 on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sat-
 urdays.

CHURCHES.
 Baptist—Pastor, O. P. Weeks.
 Services, 1st and 3rd Sabbath of
 each month. Prayer meeting Tues-
 day at 7 P. M. Sunday school, Sun-
 day, 3 P. M.
 Presbyterian—Pastor, Dr. B. P.
 Marable. Services, 2nd and 4th Sun-
 day's. Prayer meeting, Wednesday
 at 7 P. M. Sunday school, 9 A. M.
 Methodist—Pastors, C. P. Jerome
 Services, (at Presbyterian and Bap-
 tist), 1st Sunday 11 A. M. and 7 P. M.
 Sunday school (in Lodge) every
 Sunday at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting
 (at Presbyterian church) Thursday
 nights at 7 P. M.
 Episcopal—Rector, J. W. Turner.
 Services, Sunday, 11 A. M. and 4:00
 P. M. Sunday school, 3 P. M.
 Colored Baptist—Second Sunday
 in each month at 11 A. M., 3 P. M.
 and 7 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS.
 Library of Clinton Literary Asso-
 ciation over postoffice. Librarian,
 W. S. Thomson.
 Clinton Loan Association—Presi-
 dent, J. L. Stewart; Cashier, A. F.
 Johnson.
 Railroad Depot—Agent, H. B.
 Chesnut. Telegraph Operator—J. C.
 Holmes.
 Y. M. C. A.—F. R. Cooper, Presi-
 dent. Meets in Courthouse every
 Friday at 7 P. M.
 Superior Courts for 4th, 6th and 7th Ju-
 dicial Districts.
JUDGES (Resident.)
 4th District, Walter Clark, of Wake.
 6th " E. T. Boykin, of Sampson.
 7th " J. C. McKee, of Camber-
 land county.
SOLICITORS.
 4th District, T. M. Argo, of Wake.
 6th " O. H. Allen, of Duplin.
 7th " Frank McNeill, of Rich-
 mond county.
Times for Holding Courts for 1889.
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
 Spring—Judge Jones.
 Fall—Judge Jones.
 Wake—February 25th, March 25th,
 April 22nd, July 8th, August 26th,
 September 23d, October 21st.
 Wayne—March 11th, April 15th,
 September 9th, October 14th.
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SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
 Spring—Judge Ship.
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 Anson—April 29th, September 2d,
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 Columbus—April 1st, July 29th,
 Robinson—May 28th, August 19th,
 September 30th.
 Richmond—September 18th, June
 8d, December 2d.
 Bladen—March 18th, Oct. 14th.
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 Moore—April 15th, August 12th,
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CIDER.
HEADQUARTERS FOR BEST
PEACH AND APPLE CIDER,
 (Corner of Elm and R. R. Street.)
SWEET AND HARD CIDER
 always on hand. In addition to
 this pleasant and healthy drink,
 I keep
 Tobacco, Snuff,
 Flour, Potash,
 Candies, Soda,
 and Pea-Nuts
 which are sold at lowest prices
 for cash. Respectfully,
THOS. GAUTIER.
 je 21-1 yr.

PISO'S CURE FOR
CONSUMPTION
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 sumption is also the best
 Cough Medicine.
 If you have a Cough
 without disease of the
 Lungs, a few doses are all
 you need. But if you ne-
 glect this easy means of
 safety, the slight Cough
 may become a serious
 matter, and several bot-
 tles will be required.
 PISO'S Remedy for Catarrh in the
 Best, Easiest to Use, and Cheapest.
CATARRH
 Sold by druggists or sent by mail.
 See Dr. P. H. Hamilton, Warren, Va.

FOREIGN MINISTERS.
 To England, Robert Lincoln;
 France, Whitlaw Reid;
 Germany, Murat Halsted
 (rejected by the Senate).
 " Austria, Fred Grant;
 " Spain, _____;
 " China, _____;
 " Brazil, Robert Adams;
 " Chili, Pat. Egan;
 " Mexico, Thos. Ryan;
 " Russia, Allen Thorndike
 Rice;
 " Portugal, Geo. B. Loring;
 " Peru, John Hicks.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER,
 of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and
 wife owe our lives to Sallee's Consump-
 tion Cure." For sale by Dr. R. C.
 Holliday, Druggist, Clinton, N. C.

One of the most interesting
 contests over important post-
 offices comes from Greensboro,
 North Carolina. Mrs. Settle,
 widow of United States Judge
 Settle, is backed by power. Full so-
 cial influence, but is opposed by
 Representative Brower and a
 majority of the Republican
 politicians of that district. They
 represent to the President that
 Mrs. Settle would give the con-
 trol of the postoffice to Democ-
 rats, while it is very important
 for Republican prospects that
 the office should be managed by
 those in sympathy with the
 sacred cause.—Wash. Cor. Bal-
 timore Sun.

MURPHY HOUSE.
CLINTON, N. C.
 Mrs. A. E. Murphy, Owner and
 Proprietress.
 The Murphy House is centrally
 located, with large, comfor-
 table rooms and attentive ser-
 vants. FARE, FIRST CLASS
 FREE TRANSPORTATION
 FROM DEPOT.
 SAMPLE ROOMS FOR COMMERCIAL
 TRAVELERS.
 The Traveling public are
 respectfully invited to stop at
 the MURPHY HOUSE.

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 NEW CLOTHING, SHOES, DRY-GOODS AND HARDWARE
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THE CAUCASIAN.

CLINTON, N. C.,—APRIL 11, 1889.

**WHAT CAUSES THE REDUC-
 TION?**
 Reduction in wages seem to
 be the order of the day. One
 day's dispatches record a reduc-
 tion of from five to ten percent
 at the Pennsylvania steel works
 at Harrisburg; a reduction at
 the Bethlehem Iron Company's
 works in the same State; and a
 reduction in miners' wages at
 Wilkesbarre. It is unnecessary
 to remark that these reductions
 are in no way due to the Mills'
 bill.—W. L. Messenger.

Physicians Confess.
 All honest, conscientious physi-
 cians who give B. B. B. (Botanic
 Blood Balm) a trial, frankly admit
 its superiority over all other blood
 medicines.
 Dr. W. J. Adair, Rockmart, Ga.,
 writes: "I regard B. B. B. as one of
 the best blood medicines."
 Dr. A. H. Roscoe, Nashville, Tenn.,
 writes: "All reports of B. B. B. are
 favorable, and its speedy action is
 truly wonderful."
 Dr. J. W. Rhodes, Crawfordsville,
 Ga., writes: "I confess B. B. B. is
 the best and quickest medicine for rheu-
 matism I have ever tried."
 Dr. S. J. Farmer, Crawfordsville,
 Ga., writes: "I cheerfully recom-
 mend B. B. B. as a fine tonic altera-
 tive. Its use cured an excruciating
 case of the neck after other remedies ef-
 fected no perceptible good."
 Dr. C. H. Montgomery, Jackson-
 ville, Ala., writes: "My mother in-
 sisted on my getting B. B. B. for her
 rheumatism, as her case stubbornly
 resisted the usual remedies. She ex-
 perimented immediate relief, and her
 improvement has been truly wonder-
 ful."
 A prominent physician who wishes
 his name not given, says: "A pa-
 tient of mine whose case of tertiary
 syphilis was surely killing him, and
 which no treatment seemed to check,
 was entirely cured with about twelve
 bottles of B. B. B. He was fairly
 mad out of skin and bones and terri-
 ble ulcers."

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.
 Methodist E. Church South,
 second round of Quarterly Meet-
 ings.
 New River Mission, April 12
 and 14.
 Bladen, at Bethel, April 19
 and 21.
 Elizabeth, Singletary's, April
 20 and 21.
 Sampson, at Hall, April 26 and
 28.
 Cokesbury, at Salem, April
 27 and 28.
 Rev. R. C. Beaman will attend
 at Fair Bluff, and Rev. W. S.
 Creasy at Smith's Chapel.

Twenty Pieces of Bone.
 My little niece, left me by her
 mother, had one of the worst cases
 of white swelling I ever saw. More
 than twenty pieces of bone came out
 of her leg. One piece being the size
 of her leg, one piece being the size
 of the small end of a walking
 cane, and nearly three inches long.
 The hole left by taking these pieces
 out was as large as a good sized wal-
 nut. She was not able to walk a step
 for eight months, and was afterwards
 compelled to use crutches for nearly
 a year. The doctors said there was
 no cure, and advised amputation of
 the limb. This I would not consent
 to, but put her to taking Swift's
 Specific (S. S. S.) leaving off all
 other treatment. I have cured her
 sound and well, and I shall never
 grow weary of speaking its praise.
 Mrs. ANN GESSING.
 Columbus, Ga., February 11, 1889.

The World Ought to Know It.
 The world ought to know what S.
 S. S. has done for me in the cure of
 a malignant Cancer, which was so bad
 as to be considered incurable by the
 physicians in Chicago, where I went
 to be treated. The hospital sur-
 geons gave me up, saying they could
 do nothing for me. One of my neigh-
 bors sent me a copy of an advertise-
 ment out from a paper in regard to
 Swift's Specific, and I began taking
 it. I got relief from the first few
 doses; the poison was gradually for-
 ced out of my system, and I was
 soon cured sound and well. It is
 now ten months since I quit taking
 S. S. S., and I have no sign of return
 of the dreadful disease.
 Mrs. ANN BOWWELL.
 An Able, Michigan, Dec. 29, '88.
 Send for books on Blood Dis-
 eases and Cancers, mailed free.
 THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,
 Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

For 22 Years
J. T. GREGORY
 has occupied his name
TAILOR ESTABLISHMENT
 on Church Street. The great and
 original leader in low prices for men's
 clothes. Economy in cloth and money
 will force you to give him a call.
 Latest Fashion plates always
 on hand. June 7th. 1 yr.

NEW BARBER SHOP.
 When you wish an easy shave,
 As good as barber ever gave,
 Just call on me at my saloon
 At morning, eve or noon;
 I cut and dress the hair with grace,
 To suit the contour of the face.
 My room is neat and towels clean,
 Scissors sharp and razors keen.
 And everything I think you'll find;
 To suit the face and please the mind.
 And all my art and skill can do
 If you just call, I'll do for you.
 PAUL SHERARD.
 The Clinton Barber.

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 OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE.

Has been closely studying the dis-
 eases of our domestic animals for
 the past fifteen years, and having
 completed, under the direction and
 supervision of the most eminent
 Veterinary Surgeon in Canada, the
 full course of reading as required at
 the celebrated Ontario (Canada) Vet-
 erinary College, would be pleased to
 give his fellow countrymen,
 FREE OF CHARGE,
 The best advice of which he is ca-
 pable as to the proper treatment of
 all diseases of our domestic animals.
 Mr. Lee always keeps at his
 Drug Store a full line of remedies
 for the diseases of Horses, Cattle,
 Hogs and other domestic animals.
 April 11th, 1889.—1 yr

J. A. STEVENS, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
 (Office over Post Office.)
 May be found at night at the
 residence of J. H. Stevens on College
 Street. je 7-1 yr

A. M. LEE, M. D.
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND DENTIST,
 Office in Lee's Drug Store. je 7-1 yr

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J. H. ROYAL'S SALOON!
Headquarters
 Pure Wines and Liquors.
 Walk in and call for what you
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 Mr. Miles Jackson, my clever clerk
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